

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (Currently Amended) A brake assembly, particular for a hydraulic wheel drive, comprising a disk package formed of a plurality of outer disks and corresponding inner disks, which is hydraulic cycle acts on ~~the a~~ piston assembly (10) for driving braking and first hydraulic cycle acts on the piston assembly for parking braking, wherein said piston assembly comprises a driving brake piston which is in contact with said disk package and is able to be pressurized by said first hydraulic cycle and also able to be pressurized by means of an adjacent parking brake piston interacting with ~~said a~~ second hydraulic cycle;

wherein said parking brake piston has an annular configuration and is arranged coaxially with the driving brake piston also having an annular configuration;

said parking brake piston is arranged on the outer circumference of said driving brake piston and contacts an outer radial shoulder of said driving brake piston in the axial direction of said disk package in order to transfer the braking force to the driving brake piston; and

said shoulder also forms the effective surface of said driving brake piston able to be pressurized with the brake pressure via a radial bore in the parking brake piston.

Claims 2-4 (Cancelled)

5. (Original) The brake assembly according to claim 1, wherein said parking brake piston is able to be actuated by means of at least one pressure spring and resettable by means of the pressurized medium of said second hydraulic cycle.

6. (Original) The brake assembly according to claim 1, wherein said driving brake piston is able to be actuated by means of the pressurized medium of said first hydraulic cycle and resettable by means of at least one pressure spring.

7. (Currently Amended) The brake assembly according to claim 1, wherein said disk package is arranged, on ~~the a~~ drive input side, within a planetary gearbox.

8. (Currently Amended) The brake assembly according to claim 6, wherein on ~~the a~~ drive input side of said planetary gearbox a hydraulic motor is provided which forms a wheel drive together with ~~the a~~ planetary gearbox.

9. (New) A brake assembly, in particular for a hydraulic wheel drive, comprising a disk package formed of a plurality of outer disks and corresponding inner disks, and a piston assembly including a driving brake piston in contact with said disk package and a parking brake piston, said brake assembly operating in a first hydraulic cycle acting to pressurize said driving brake piston of said piston assembly for driving braking and a second hydraulic cycle in which said parking brake piston pressurizes said driving brake piston on the piston assembly for parking braking,;

wherein said parking brake piston has an annular configuration and is arranged coaxially with the driving brake piston also having an annular configuration;

said parking brake piston is arranged on the outer circumference of said driving brake piston and contacts an outer radial shoulder of said driving brake piston in the axial direction of said disk package in order to transfer the braking force to the driving brake piston; and

said shoulder also forms the effective surface of said driving brake piston able to be pressurized with the brake pressure via a radial bore in the parking brake piston.